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Creating Community Through People, Parks and Programs

OUT & ABOUT

WELCOME!

Welcome to your Out & About Activities Guide. Inside are program listings for the City of Woodburn's Community Services Department including Parks & Recreation, Library and RSVP programs. The Out & About Activities Guide replaces the "Rec Reporter" and demonstrates the City's desire to serve you in the best way possible. We hope you find this new guide to be both helpful and informative. Enjoy!

COMMUNITY SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The City of Woodburn recognizes that some residents require financial assistance in order to participate in certain recreational activities. Thanks to Woodburn Together, a limited number of scholarships are available for those who qualify.

Please contact the Community Services Department office at 503-982-5264 for more information.

"Building pride and positive assets in youth through cooperative community action."



www.woodburntogether.org



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OTHER COMMUNITY CONTACTS

Woodburn Junior Basketball Association

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Woodburn Youth Football Association

Patti Garza • 503-473-3696

Daniel Garcia • 503-421-4704

Woodburn Barracuda Swim Team

John Zell • 503-982-2302 • www.wbst.org

Dance, Dance, Dance

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Luis Del Rio • 503-810-4811

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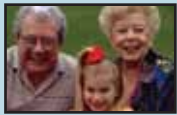
Eric Hayes • 503-982-8727

Woodburn Area Youth Golf Association

www.woodburnjrgolf.org

Eric Yaillen • 503-981-4653

MONTHLY AQUATIC PROMOTIONS



Grandparents Day

Sunday, September 7th

All Grandparents swim for free when accompanied by a paying grandchild from 1:00 – 5:00pm on this special day.



Civil War Challenge for Love Santa

November is a Civil War challenge month to see which squad (Oregon Duck fans vs. Oregon State Beaver fans) can collect the most toys to donate to the Love Santa program here in Woodburn.



Canned Swimming

The price of admission is two items of non-perishable food that will be donated to the AWARE food bank. This activity takes place twice in December, on the 23rd and the 30th. Let's all help out our neighbors during this season of giving.

Message from the Manager

Fall is a busy time here at the Aquatic Center, especially with the high school water polo and swim seasons up and running. Due to the challenges of scheduling their practices and meets, we may need to alter



program schedules from time to time. Of course, we will do our best to keep you posted of the changes. On an exciting note, we will be replacing our ventilation system very soon! As many of you probably know, the existing system's performance has never met our expectations. Now that it is approaching 13 years of age, we have begun to see some pretty significant maintenance and operational issues arise. Because of that, we recently initiated an energy efficiency study, and discovered that by replacing the existing system with a high efficiency ventilation unit, we will be eligible for significant funding assistance through the Energy Trust of Oregon and the Oregon Department of Energy. This assistance will enable us to move forward on the system's replacement. We are very excited about this project and expect that we will see a marked improvement in air quality, once it is completed.

As you might expect, there is some uncertainty in the schedule and timing of this project, which we expect will occur sometime after the first of the year. Since we will be closing the Center for a few weeks to replace the ventilation system, we are forgoing our usual late October maintenance closure. As more information and firm dates become available, we will be sure to post them at the Center. Have a great fall! *DEBBIE WADLEIGH, MGR.*



photo by Susan May

POOL SCHEDULE

Open Swim	Monday – Friday 1 – 3:30pm & 7 – 8:30pm; Saturday & Sunday 1 – 5pm (Recreational swimming with lap swimming lanes)
Family Swim	Friday 6 – 7pm (parents required for 18 and younger; \$7.50 per family)
Family Night	Tuesday & Friday 7 – 8:30pm (\$7.50 per family)
Parent-Tot Swim	Friday 11am – 1pm (for tots under 6 yrs. accompanied by an adult)
Lap Swim	Monday – Friday 5:30am – 3:30pm; 6 – 8:30pm Saturday & Sunday 1 – 5pm (2 lanes open)

ALL DAY AQUATIC CENTER CLOSURES

Monday, September 1st • Labor Day
Saturday & Sunday, November 22 & 23 •

Barracuda Swim Meet

Thursday, November 27th • Thanksgiving Day

Wednesday, December 24th •

Christmas Eve Day

Thursday, December 25th • Christmas Day

Thursday, January 1st • New Year's Day

SPECIAL PROGRAM TIMES & CHANGES

Friday, November 28th

- The Aquatic Center will be only open for Open Swim (Two lap lanes available) 1:00 – 3:30pm.
- Barracuda Swim Team Practice 3:30 – 6:00pm.

Wednesday, December 31st

The Aquatic Center will be open from 5:30am – 3:30pm

Tuesday December 23rd

Canned Swimming –
The admission price is canned/non-perishable food items; All Day (minimum 2 items per person; donations in dollars will also be accepted)

Tuesday, December 30th

Canned Swimming –
The admission price is canned/non-perishable food items;
All Day, All Sessions (minimum 2 items per person, donations in dollars will also be accepted)

FEES

Residents are considered those who live within the city limits of Woodburn. An Adult must accompany all children five and under everywhere within the Aquatic Center.

Category	Age	Daily Admission		Punch Card		3-Month Pass		Annual Pass	
		Resident	Non-Res	Resident	Non-Res	Res	Non-Res	Resident	Non-Res
Infant	0 - 2y	FREE		FREE		FREE		FREE	
Child	3 - 12y	\$2.25	\$2.75	\$40.50	\$49.50	\$55	\$65	\$200	\$250
Youth	13 - 18y	\$2.75	\$3.25	\$49.50	\$58.50	\$65	\$80	\$250	\$300
Adult	19 - 54y	\$3.25	\$3.75	\$58.50	\$67.50	\$80	\$93	\$300	\$350
Honored Citizens	55+y	\$2.75	\$3.25	\$49.50	\$58.50	\$65	\$80	\$250	\$300

Household passes are available for the 3-month and annual options. Please check with the Front Counter staff for actual fees.

INSTRUCTIONAL FEES

Residents are those who live within the city limits of Woodburn.

There are 3 ways to Register ... In Person (190 Oak Street)...

By Phone (503-981-7946)...OR...On-Line at
(www.woodburnaquatics.org)

Group Discounts

Groups of 20 or more will receive a \$.50 discount off each General Admission fee when the entire amount is paid in one transaction.

Rental Fees – Non Pool

Large Locker Rentals \$1.00

Small Locker Rentals \$.75

\$.50 deposit returned when the locker key is returned.

Towel Rentals \$1.00

Group Lessons

Residents: \$24.38 for 6 classes/session; \$20.32 for 5 classes/session

Non-Residents: \$28.50 for 6 classes/session;
\$23.75 for 5 classes/session

Private Lessons

Residents: \$80.00 for 4 classes/session

Non-Residents: \$100.00 for 4 classes/session

One on one instruction. Classes created on an as needed basis. Provide your contact information to the Front Counter staff and you will be called to schedule your lessons.

Semi-Private Lessons

Residents: \$60.00 per student for 4 classes/session (\$120)

Non-Residents: \$75.00 per student for 4 classes/sessions (\$150)

One instructor for two students with similar skill levels. Classes created on an as needed basis. Provide your contact information to the Front Counter staff and you will be called to schedule your lessons.

INSTRUCTIONAL FEES*continued***Adult Lessons**

Residents: \$33.00 for eight classes/session

Non-Resident: \$38.00 for eight classes/session

Classes created on an as needed basis. Three participants are the minimum needed to create a class. Provide your contact information to the Front Counter staff and you will be called when a class is organized.

Lifeguard Training (LGT)

Residents: \$125

Non-Residents: \$135

Water Safety Instructor (WSI)

Residents: \$155

Non-Residents: \$165

Waiting Lists

Classes are created when we have instructors and space available. We still need to have three or more people interested before scheduling the instructor and the pool space. The Front Desk staff will need your specific class request and contact information to put you on a waiting list.

SESSION SCHEDULES

- Classes need to have three or more participants in order to be scheduled.
- The classes are held for 30 minutes each day unless specified differently.
- The term "waiting list" represents classes that will be scheduled when we have three or more interested people and available instructors.

SESSION DATES

08-F1	September 8 - 25
08-F2	September 29 - October 16
08-F3	October 20 - November 6
08-F4	November 10 - 26 6 classes, M/W, no classes on Thanksgiving for T/Th classes
08-F5	December 1 - 18

SWIMMING LESSON SCHEDULE

Classes	Mon & Wed	Tues & Thurs
Parent/Tot	Waiting List	Waiting List
Preschool	11:00am 11:35am	11:25am 5:30pm
Puddle Jumpers	11:00am 11:35am	11:25am 5:30pm
Puddle Jumpers 2	12:10pm	12:00pm Waiting List for PM
Level 1	Waiting List	10:00am 6:05pm
Level 2	Waiting List	10:00am 6:05pm
Level 3	Waiting List	10:00am 6:05pm
Level 4 A/B (45min)	Waiting List	5:30pm
Level 5/6 (45min)	Waiting List	10:35am Waiting List
Adults (45min)	12:15pm	Waiting List

WATER EXERCISE CLASSES

Classes	Mon/Wed/Fri	Tues & Thurs
Aerobics	8:00am – 9:00am	6:00 – 7:00p
Deep Water Fitness	8:00am – 9:00am	–
Water Wellness	9:15am – 10:15am	8:00 – 8:45am
Arthritis Aquatics	–	9:30am – 10:15am
Three-way • Mini-weight • Water Wellness • Deep Water	–	7:30am – 8:00am 8:00am – 8:45am 8:50am – 9:20am
Hip Mobility	FRI only 9:00am – 9:40am 9:00am – 10:00am	–

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

Parents, please register your child or children for the age specific class. This will help ensure that your swimmer gets the proper level of attention they deserve.

Parent-Tot Ages 6 months – 3 years

One or both parents in the water. Water orientation, games and skills are a part of this class.

Preschool Ages 3 – 5 years

This class is for the child who is just starting a swimming lesson program and cannot float by themselves on their front or back. To be in this class your child needs to be comfortable going to an instructor.

Puddle Jumpers Ages 3 – 5 years

Children should be able to submerge completely while holding their breath for a minimum of 3 seconds. They also should be floating on their front and back with help.

Puddle Jumpers 2 Ages 3 – 5 years

In this class children are floating by themselves, front and back. They also swim with their face in the water to the instructor.

Polliwogs Ages 4 & 5 years

Children should be able to swim 3 yards on their front and back with alternating arms and good kicking.

Level 1 Ages 6 – 13 years

This is a beginning level for school-aged children who are not comfortable in the water.

Level 2 Ages 6 – 13 years

Children in this level need to be able to submerge completely while holding their breath for a minimum of 3 seconds. They also should be floating on front and back without assistance.

Level 3 Ages 6 – 13 years

Children must be able to swim 10 yards on their front and back with alternating arms and a good flutter kick. Youth in this level should be comfortable working in deep water.

Level 4 Ages 6 – 13 years

To be in this level children should be swimming front

crawl with side breathing, back crawl and know the dolphin kick.

Level 5 Ages 6 – 13 years

Children must be able to swim 25 yards of front and back crawl and the butterfly. They should know breaststroke, sidestroke and elementary backstroke also. This is a 45 minute class.

Level 6 Ages 6 – 13 years

Children coming into this level must be able to swim 50 yards of front and back crawl, 25 yards of breaststroke, sidestroke and butterfly. This is a 45 minute class.

TRAINING PROGRAMS

Candidates successfully completing the following courses can apply for jobs at many swimming pools and aquatic centers.

LGT - LIFEGUARD TRAINING

The American Red Cross course trains candidates in Water Surveillance, Recognition and Rescue Techniques, First Aid, and CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer, Oxygen Administration for the Professional Rescuer and Bloodborne Pathogens: Preventing Disease Transmission. All candidates for this program need to meet the prerequisites of the course. These are:

1. Fifteen on or before the last day of the course.
2. Successfully complete a 300 yard (12 lengths) continuous swim performing 100 yards of Front Crawl stroke (showing a stabilizing propellant kick and rhythmic breathing), followed by 100 yards of Breaststroke (showing proper timing, pull and breathe – kick and glide), and finishing with 100 yards Front Crawl, Breaststroke or a combination of the two strokes.
3. Starting in the water, swim 20 yards (Front Crawl or Breaststroke), surface dive to bottom of the pool and retrieve a 10-pound object. With both hands on the object return to the surface, swim to the starting point and then place the object on the deck, climbing out without using a ladder or stairs in 1 minute and 40 seconds.

WSI – WATER SAFETY INSTRUCTOR

This American Red Cross course trains instructor candidates to teach water safety, including the Basic Water Rescue course, six levels of the Learn to Swim and Parent and Child Aquatics. All candidates for this program need to meet the prerequisites of the course:

1. Sixteen years old on or before the last day of the course.
2. Swim 25 yards of Front Crawl, Back Crawl, Breaststroke, Elementary Backstroke, and Sidestroke with Level Five proficiency or better.
3. Swim 15 yards of Butterfly with Level Five proficiency or better.
4. Maintain position on your back for one minute in deep water (floating or sculling).
5. Tread water for one minute.

EWYL - Earn While You Learn

This program is available for qualified individuals, 16 year olds and older. Applied candidates will earn wages while they are trained to be a Lifeguard or a Water Safety Instructor. For specifics on this program or to see if you qualify please contact the front desk staff.

TRAINING PROGRAMS DATES & FEES

Lifeguard Training

December 22, 23, 29, 30, 31, 2008
(M, T, M, T, W) 8:30am – 4:30pm
\$125 Resident / \$135 Non-Resident

Water Safety Instructor

Waiting List
\$155 Resident / \$165 Non-Resident

*Check out our website:
www.woodburnaquatics.org*

Special Discounts**Membership Discount Month**

September is another opportunity to renew and purchase a punch card, three-month or annual pass for 20% off the regular prices.

Lucky Bar Code Month

October is Bar Code Lucky Number Member Appreciation Month. Every day during October a bar code will be drawn at random and that person wins the concession item of their choice.

**Thank You To All
Military Personnel**

It is with grateful thanks that we offer all military personnel, past and current, the opportunity to utilize the Woodburn Memorial Aquatic and Fitness Center for free on Tuesday, Nov. 11. Thank you for your service to our country.

**Two for Tuesdays**

Every Tuesday during the month of November one guest will get in free to the facility when they are accompanied by a paying person who is in the same age category or older. Gather your friends and family and come on in, the water's fine.

One at One

During December, when you visit the Aquatic Center between 1:00pm and 3:30pm, you will receive \$1.00 off the regular General Admission fee.



WATER EXERCISE CLASSES

Guests of all water comfort levels are welcome to participate in any of the water fitness programs. We recommend wearing water shoes for all shallow water programs. Your entrance fee allows for your participation in these activities. Try one, try all and find which is best for you. Come on in, the water's fine!

Aquarobics

M /W/ F 8:00am – 9:00am and T & Th 6:00pm – 7:00pm
Energize yourself with this invigorating workout! This fat-burning fitness workout incorporates muscular, cardiovascular and aerobic conditioning. Exercise includes some rhythmic activities, muscle strengthening and toning, all while having fun!

Arthritis Aquatic Class T / Th 9:30am – 10:15am

The Arthritis Foundation Aquatic Program (AFAP) is a recreational series of gentle activities in the pool and is open to anyone with arthritis. The program is designed to help relieve the pain and stiffness caused by arthritis while providing a fun, social opportunity. It is not necessary to know how to swim. Trained personnel conduct sessions.

Rent Your Aquatic Center!

Have the pool all to yourself and your guests. It's great for:

Birthdays • Office Parties • Scout Groups •
Youth Groups • Neighborhood Parties
• Day/Child Care Groups • Team Parties •
Family Gatherings and more!

Rental times available when not in use
by Aquatic Center Programs and based
upon the availability of staff.
Call 503-981-SWIM (7946)
Reserve your special day.
Prices start at \$80 an hour.

Deep Water Fitness M /W / F 8:00am – 9:00am

This class occurs in 6 ft. of water and you do not need to be able to swim to participate. Foam buoyancy / support belts around the waist / hips and buoyant hand-held “dumbbells,” even noodles are used to keep you upright and your head out of the water. Zero joint impact with muscle toning and flexibility throughout the entire body is the goal.

Hip Flexibility Fridays 9:00am – 10:00am

Deceptively gentle leg moves and stretches at the wall of the shallow end of the pool. Benefits include muscle and ligament toning, increasing range of motion resulting in more flexibility, better balance and coordination. The last 20 additional minutes take place in the wading pool for some additional stretching and back extensor work and leg work.

Water Wellness

M /W / F 9:15am - 10:15am & T / Th 8:00am - 8:45am
For all levels of fitness, the moves in this class are designed to accommodate those who want to work at a less intense level and those who want to move more vigorously. The workout is varied with different music selections. The class includes optional use of pool equipment such as noodles, gloves, and handheld foam “dumbbells” to enhance the subtle strengthening, toning, and limbering moves in shallow water.

Mini Weight T / Th 7:30am – 8:00am

After a brief warm-up the focus is on upper body with gentle strengthening, toning and lengthening of legs, back, shoulder and arm muscles using 1 – 5 pound weights.





Operation Weed and Seed is a strategy within the United States Department Justice's Office of Justice Programs that incorporates community-based initiatives. It is an innovative and comprehensive multi-agency

approach to law enforcement, crime prevention, and community revitalization.

Operation Weed and Seed initiative "weeds out" undesirable elements such as violent crime, gang activity, drug use, and drug trafficking in a targeted area of the community. The program then "seeds" the area by restoring those neighborhoods through a variety of social and economic revitalization activities.

MISSION

Through the Weed and Seed Strategy, the community of Woodburn hopes to:

- Identify gaps in services that are essential to successful re-entry to the community after incarceration.
- More effectively identify the children and youth who have the highest level of risk factors that push them into gangs; including but not limited to:
 - > Family Factors
 - > Peer Groups
 - > Social Deficits
 - > Lack of Family Opportunities
 - > School Problems
 - > Juvenile Delinquency
- Enhance the capacity of the community to provide preventative programming for children and youth.
- Enhance the economic viability of the community through sustainable employment.
- Enhance the law enforcement capabilities in regard to violent gang and drug activities.

WOODBURN WEED & SEED

Woodburn Weed and Seed uses a strategy that combines four specific components:

1. Community Policing: bicycles for police officers, increased downtown visibility, Gang Resistance Education and Training (GREAT) for kids, Police/Parole Officer Team home visits, etc.
2. Law Enforcement: Meth Task Force, increased drug and gang arrests and convictions, gang suppression, etc.
3. Preventative Intervention: Community Center (Safe Haven youth programs, parenting classes, etc.
4. Neighborhood Restoration: Neighborhood clean-ups, neighborhood meetings, etc.

If you would like more information regarding this program, you can call Michele Roberts, Weed and Seed Program Coordinator (503-982-5256) or send her an e-mail : michele.roberts@ci.woodburn.or.us

GET INVOLVED!

Weed and Seed is a community-based strategy. The Woodburn Weed and Seed Steering Committee makes all decisions in the direction of the strategy including budgets, projects and staff. The Committee is comprised of members of agencies, civic and governmental agencies, business organizations and residents of Woodburn. The Committee is resident-driven and residents must make up at least 25% of Committee membership.

We are currently seeking residents interested in applying to be part of the Steering Committee. There is a short application process and an attendance commitment to become a member.

If you would like more information regarding this program or an application to become a Steering Committee Member, you can call Michele Roberts, Weed and Seed Program Coordinator (503-982-5256) or send her an e-mail: michele.roberts@ci.woodburn.or.us

Come and use your voice and talents to make a positive difference in your community.

LIBRARY HOURS & PHONE NUMBERS

Monday - Thursday 10:00am - 8:00pm

Friday - Saturday 10:00am - 5:00pm

Sunday 1:00 - 5:00pm

Circulation and Renewal: 503-982-5262

Reference Desk: 503-982-5252

Youth Services: 503-982-5260

ALL DAY LIBRARY CLOSURES

Thanksgiving Day • Thursday, Nov. 27th

Carpet Replacement • Sunday, December 21
- Saturday, January 3 (tentative)

Message from the Manager

We have a full and exciting fall coming up at the Library, and I would like to tell you about a few of the things we have planned. In October Woodburn will be participating in The Big Read, a month-long program where the whole city reads one book. We will be reading the classic work *Bless Me Ultima*, by Rudolfo Anaya. The kickoff is October 3rd, in the Plaza, 3:30 – 5:00pm. Mayor Kathy Figley will be on hand to declare October “Big Read Month”.

Free copies of the book will be given away. Events will be offered throughout the month, including book readings, discussion groups, and a weekly children's program. Everyone is encouraged to participate. Major events will include a lecture given by Roberto De Anda, Assistant Professor of Chicano/Latino Studies and Sociology at Portland State University, who will be speaking about the diversity of religious traditions in Latino families.

Local poet Miguel Loreda Reyes will be doing a poetry slam for the teens and an adult poetry evening. Carolina Urruela de Hess will give a presentation on the role and tradition of the curandera in Mexican-American culture. The finale is a radio interview with the author when you will have a chance to ask Mr. Anaya any questions you



photo by Susan May

might have for him. There is more planned than I have room to mention here, so please keep an eye out for upcoming events with The Big Read!!

More good news – the Library will be replacing the carpet on the first floor during the winter holidays. We plan to close for approximately two weeks to accomplish this and when we reopen in January our look will be much improved!

ANNA STAVINOHA, LIBRARY MANAGER

YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAMS: SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER 2008

STORYTIMES

Toddler Storytime Tuesdays at 10:30am in the Multipurpose Room. This storytime is geared for children twelve months to three years. Toddler Storytime features short, interactive picture books, rhymes, fingerplays, and music with an emphasis on movement and variety. An unstructured playtime follows the scheduled activities. *Begins September 9.*

Spanish Storytime Tuesdays at 4:30pm in the Children's Room. This storytime focuses on stories and music in Spanish for families with children of all ages. Activities conclude with a craft. *Begins September 9.*

Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays at 10:30am in the Multipurpose Room. This storytime is designed for children from three to seven years of age. Preschool Storytime consists of stories, fingerplays and a story-related craft. *Begins September 10.*

SATURDAYS AT THE LIBRARY

Begins September 13

The library has special programs on Saturday afternoons at 1:30pm aimed at elementary age students and their families. Programs include reading to a dog, special performers, stories and crafts, games and movies. Upcoming special performers and activities to watch for are:

September: Mexican Independence Day activity at the Plaza; Pinwheels for Peace

October: Big Read Activities: All About Owls; Food Stories; Pumpkin Fair and more

November: Day of the Dead Crafts

December: Dance, Dance, Dance; Holiday Crafts and Stories

TEENS

Third Thursday Teens Third Thursday of every month at 6:30pm. An informal gathering with various activities for teens 13-18 in the Multipurpose Room.

For more information about specific programs pick up a monthly schedule of activities in the Youth Services area of the library or call: 503-982-5260.

CAN'T COME TO THE LIBRARY? THE LIBRARY COMES TO YOU!

Did you know that the Woodburn Public Library delivers? Our Homebound program brings books to people who can't get to the library due to illness or disability. Call the Library at 503-982-5252 and ask for Christine, our homebound librarian.

After a brief interview we'll choose regular-print books, large-print books, audiobooks or other materials based on your preferences. Each month you'll receive new selections and have a chance to give feedback and update your choices. It's a fun way to stay connected to the library - and to keep the library connected to you!

MEET YOUR LIBRARIAN DEEDA CHAMBERLAIN

Deeda is Woodburn Public Library's resident expert in all things kid-related. She has been our Youth Services Librarian for four years now. Deeda usually can be found in the Youth Services department of the library but she makes regular guest appearances on the adult



Reference Desk, as well. She spends most of her time visiting Woodburn-area classrooms, preschools, and Head Start centers and planning fun programs for the library (such as storytimes, shows like Reptile Man and clown Angel Ocasio and craft programs). She is also in charge of choosing all of the many books, audiobooks, movies, and magazines for the children's and teen's section.

Previously, Deeda was the Youth Librarian at Dallas (OR) Public Library. Before becoming a librarian she lived with a husband, 1 sheep, 2 goats and 2 chickens on 40 dry acres near Dufur, Oregon, raised 2 daughters, and did lots of volunteer work in the schools. Currently Deeda is reading *The Higher Power of Lucky* by Susan Patron, the 2006 Newbery Award winner and *The Appeal*, a legal thriller by John Grisham. In her spare time she loves to eat the fresh produce from her garden, listen to music and go backpacking in the High Sierras with her husband. Deeda says, "I love my job because I get to work with two of my favorite things: children and books. Sharing a good story with one child or many never ceases to delight me." Deeda is known among the library staff for being friendly and approachable, so don't be shy. She even speaks a little Spanish. If you have a question, just ask it. If you're looking for a beautiful picture book or a great read for a child of any age, Deeda loves to make recommendations. Say "Hi" or "Hola" to Deeda the next time you are in the library!

RETIRED SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM



Lead With Experience, Join RSVP Today.

You've gained a lifetime of experience. Now is the time to put your skills and talents to good use by volunteering through RSVP.

RSVP is America's largest volunteer network for people age 55 and over. Join RSVP and you join nearly 500,000 volunteers across the country who are tackling tough issues in their communities.

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COMMUNITY
SERVICE** ★★ ★

With RSVP you choose how and where you want to serve. You choose the amount of time you want to give. And you choose whether you want to draw on your skills or develop new ones. In short, you find the opportunity that's right for you.

When you volunteer you're not just helping others-you're helping yourself. Volunteering leads to new discoveries and new friends. Plus, studies show that volunteering helps you live longer and helps promote a positive outlook on life.

In addition, with RSVP you'll receive pre-service orientation, training from the organization where you serve, and supplemental insurance while on duty.

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) has been sponsored by the City of Woodburn since 1973. RSVP is administered by the Corporation for National and Community Service. Thousands of people have given their time over the years to make Woodburn a safe, vibrant, full-service community. RSVP has a network of volunteers throughout Marion County. Choose from over 50 work-sites to serve.

RSVP is a cost effective way to solve critical problems in education, public safety, human needs and the environment.

SUSAN FOFANA-DURA, PROJECT DIRECTOR
503-982-5255



ACTIVE ADULT TRIPS

Transportation for Active Adult Trips has been upgraded! This year we will be using the City's DIAL-A-RIDE busses so you can travel in comfort. All trips leave from the Settlemier Park parking lot located at 400 Settlemier Ave. Times listed are departure and return times. Please call Stu Spence, Recreation Services Manager for more information at 503-982-5266.

Mt. Angel Oktoberfest

Thursday is Senior Day at Oktoberfest. Entry to the entertainment venues is only \$2. Come celebrate the harvest with ethnic food, music and more. We will provide transportation only for this event. All entertainment and food is on your own. Thursday, September 11, 11:00am – 4:00pm. \$10 for transportation, food and entertainment is on your own.

Lunch at Jake's Famous Crawfish

Jake's has been a Portland landmark for over 110 years. Serving more than 30 varieties of fresh fish and seafood, it's considered one of the top ten seafood restaurants in the country. With a well-rounded menu, it's not just a seafood restaurant! Bring money for lunch. Wednesday, September 24, 10:30am – 3:00pm. \$10 for transportation, lunch is on your own

Rasmussen Farms & the Hood River Valley

Established in 1945, this family farm is located in Oregon's Hood River Valley in the heart of the Columbia River Gorge, an area famous for quality fruit since the pioneer times. Visit this wonderful, unique world created with pumpkins, gourds, squash and other items conjured up by their staff. Bring money for lunch and produce to take home. Lunch at the Hood River Inn.

Tuesday, October 14, 10:00am – 4:00pm.

\$15 for transportation, lunch is on your own.

Country Christmas Bazaar in Canby

This premier Northwest event is one of Oregon's oldest and finest bazaars. This bazaar showcases more than 7,000 square feet of fall and holiday gifts, cottage and home décor at the Clackamas County Fairgrounds.

Wednesday, November 12, 10:00am – 2:00pm.

\$5 for transportation, lunch is on your own.



photo by Jim Kinghorn

The Peking Acrobats at Chinook Winds Casino

The world renowned Peking Acrobats Show is astounding! The things these kids can do before breakfast... seem to push the envelope of human possibility. If you like daring and dexterity this is a show that will probably twist you around in your seat... it's amazing and exciting! These brightly costumed tumblers, acrobats, cyclists and jugglers provide 90 minutes of fun on stage. Saturday, December 6, 10:00am – 8:00pm (Show time 3:00pm). \$35 includes transportation and show tickets, food and gambling is on your own.

Holiday Lights at The Oregon Garden

During the month of December see The Garden transformed into a magical holiday light display. So, bundle up, enjoy a holiday lights tour aboard their motorized tram. Dinner is included. Tuesday, December 16; 4:00pm – 8:00pm. \$20 includes transportation, admission, and a mystery dinner stop!

YOUTH SPORTS PROGRAMS

RECREATIONAL YOUTH SOCCER

This year the city has partnered with the Woodburn Athletic Fútbol Club to offer this quality program for youth soccer players in Kindergarten through 6th grades. Woodburn Athletic Fútbol Club has been organizing soccer leagues for over 8 years in and around Woodburn. This year they will be organizing the City's recreational league games and practice schedules, but registrations will still be accepted at the Aquatic Center. This league is a recreation league not a competitive league. If you have any questions about Youth Soccer you can still call Stu Spence, Recreation Services Manager at 503-982-5266.

8 week season begins the week of September 22
League games will be held in Woodburn on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Practice times will also be available to each coach during the week.

Co-Ed Pee Wee (ages 3 & 4); \$25 (6 week season)

Co-Ed Kindergarten

1st & 2nd Grade Boys & Girls

3rd & 4th Grade Boys & Girls

5th & 6th Grade Boys & Girls

\$40 per child

Registration Opens at Aquatic Center
and Online September 2 at 8:00am



RECREATIONAL YOUTH BASKETBALL

Join our basketball league that puts the fun in fundamentals. This recreational league will include games on Saturdays and one practice during the week. Volunteer coaches needed!

8 week season begins the week of January 12
League games will be held on Saturdays
Practice times will also be available to each coach during the week.

Co-Ed Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd

3rd & 4th Grade Boys & Girls

5th & 6th Grade Boys & Girls

\$40 per child

Registration Opens at Aquatic Center
and Online November 1 at 8:00am



photo by Susan May

NEW! WINTER BASEBALL CLINIC

Taught by Mike Powers. Youth will learn proper throwing, catching, fielding, and hitting techniques. Youth will work in teams and experience every position including: pitching, catching, infield and outfield.

- Throwing station will consist of proper placement of feet, arms, and release point, then working on hitting the target and basic techniques of the windup.
- Catching station will consist of proper placement of feet, hands and hand-eye coordination from an infield/outfield point of view to the catcher's position.
- Fielding station will again consist of proper placement of the extremities when the ball is rolled to them and gathering themselves to make a throw from the infield and outfield.
- Hitting station will consist of soft toss hitting inside and outside pitches and proper techniques to bunting.

About Mike: After high school Mike started his baseball career at Spokane Falls C.C. and Skagit Valley C.C. During the summers he played semi-professional baseball for the Bellingham Bells in Bellingham, WA. In 2000 he transferred to Western Oregon University where he finished up his baseball career and his degree in Physical Education.

Ages 8 – 14

\$20 per youth

December 29, 2008

(Winter Break); 10:00am – 2:00pm

Location: Diesel Fitness, 1755 Mt. Hood Ave.



ADULT SPORTS PROGRAMS

FALL SEASON KICK-OFF BASKETBALL JAMBOREE

Double elimination bracket

Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd place teams

September 28 & 29

Location: Heritage & Valor

\$100 per team

Registration Opens at Aquatic Center
and Online September 2 at 8:00am

FALL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Double elimination bracket

Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd place teams

November 23 & 24

Location: Heritage & Valor

\$100 per team

Registration Opens at Aquatic Center
and Online September 2 at 8:00am

CITY LEAGUE – BASKETBALL

Recreational league with referees.

You must sign up as a team.

7 week season runs Sunday, October 5 – Monday,
November 17. League games will be held on Sundays and
Mondays. Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd
place teams.

\$450 per team

Registration Opens at Aquatic Center
and Online September 2 at 8:00am

NEW! MEN'S "DRAFT" BASKETBALL LEAGUE

This fun new league allows you to sign up individually and
then be "drafted" onto a team. We will assign players to the
teams. It's a great way to meet new people and play with
others you haven't played with before.

5 week season runs Saturday, October 11 – November 8

All league games will be on Saturdays

Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd &
3rd place teams

\$45 per person

Registration Opens at Aquatic Center
and Online September 2 at 8:00am



CO-ED VOLLEYBALL JAMBOREE

Round robin tournament format

Guaranteed 3 games

Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd place teams

December 7 & 8

Location: Heritage & Valor

\$50 per team

Registration Opens at Aquatic Center
and Online September 2 at 8:00am

*Check out our website:
www.woodburnparks.org*

YOUTH PROGRAMS

NEW! School's Out Day Camp

Need a babysitter on that day when school is out? Then, this day camp is for you. Each day we offer campers structured activities including games, arts and crafts, sports, contests and more.

October 10 & 15

November 10 & 11

December 5

7:30am – 5:30pm

Ages K-5 only, space is very limited.

\$20 per day per child

Location: TBA

NEW! Winter Break Day Camp

We keep 'em busy with structured activities including games, arts and crafts, sports, contests and more.

Week 1: December 22 – 26 (no camp December 25)

Week 2: December 29 – January 2 (no camp January 1)

7:30am – 5:30pm

Ages K-5 only, space is very limited.

\$60 per week (4 days)

Location: French Prairie Middle School



TEEN PROGRAMS

Legion Park Drop In Center "The Spot"

"The Spot" is specifically for teens ages 6th grade and up. There are a variety of games and activities to try including pool, foosball, air hockey. There is also a daily schedule that includes a free snack, arts and crafts, homework help, games, multi-cultural activities, contests and more. The best of all is that it's all free!

Ages: 6th – 12th graders only

Open: 3:00 – 7:30pm (Monday – Friday)

Phone: 503-710-8872

Admission: FREE!



Announcing the Grand Re-Opening of the Settlemier Teen Center



On Saturday, September 13 the Settlemier Teen Center will re-open for 6th – 12th graders in Woodburn during the Skate Competition (see below). The hours will be the same as "The Spot" (see above). There is also a daily schedule that includes free snack, arts and crafts, homework help, games, multi-cultural activities, contests and more. This one's free, too!

Ages: 6th – 12th graders only

Open: 3:00 – 7:30pm (Monday – Friday) starting Monday, September 15!

Phone: 503-982-5286

Admission: FREE!

Skate Competition

Check out this year's Woodburn Skate Comp. Professional skate demo, judges, live band, and a T-Shirt are all included. There will be 3 open classes; skaters are to pick their own class.

Beginner, Intermediate, Open

Warm Up & Registration at 11:00am

Comp: Noon-3:00pm, September 13

Awards & Live Band at 3:00pm

Admission: \$10 per participant

TEEN TRIPS

Transportation for Teen Trips is provided by the City's 15 passenger vans with trained drivers. Times listed are departure and return times. Please check for details at the Teen Centers for more information and for permission forms. Teen Trips depart from Legion Park.

Bullwinkles Fun Center

Bumper boats, go-karts, laser tag, batting cages, mini-golf, and more! Saturday, September 20, 1:00pm – 6:00pm
\$5 including transportation and admission.

Splash Lively Park Swim Center Springfield, OR

Oregon's premiere indoor waterpark offers year-round fun. Surf the waves, ride the water slide, or play water basketball. Should be a blast! Saturday, October 4, 11:00am – 7:00pm; \$4 including transportation and admission. Bring money for food.

Milburn's Haunted Manor

Check out the haunted house, boo woods, and the haunted pumpkin patch. Friday, October 24, 7:00pm – 10:00pm
\$4 includes transportation and admission.

Bowling

Town & Country Lanes in Keizer
\$2 includes transportation, bowling & shoes
Tuesday, November 11, 2:00pm – 6:00pm

Free Swimming at the Woodburn Aquatic Center

Includes transportation and entrance fee
Friday, November 21, 7:00pm – 8:30pm

Rollerskating at Oaks Park

This skating rink is in the Oaks Park Amusement Park. Sorry, rides will be closed, but we will be skating.
Friday, December 12, 7:00 – 11:00pm
\$3 includes transportation, skating, and skates



THE AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

The ASC is provided on school days at Washington, Lincoln, Heritage, and Nellie Muir Elementary Schools. Hours are from 2:20pm until 6:00pm. Parents may pick up their child at anytime before 6:00pm.

Some Activities Include:

Crafts • Cooking • Snack • Active Games • Legos •
• Literacy • Music • Art • Dance • Games • Violin • Guitar

Children who attend St. Luke's and Arthur Academy will be transported to the Washington Elementary School After School Club.

Cost: \$150.00 per trimester
OR \$400.00 for the year if paid in full between
July 1 and September 1, 2008
A limited number of reduced fee scholarships
are available for those who qualify.

YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD



Currently the City of Woodburn is recruiting Youth Advisory Board members for the upcoming year. Your commitment would be from June 2008 - June 2009. If you are interested in LEADERSHIP SKILLS and HELPING YOUR COMMUNITY this is for you! 8th -12th grade only! Call Stu for more information on how to join at 503-982-5266.



2008-2009 Fall Class Schedule

All classes are held at Woodburn Church of Christ,
1560 Hardcastle Ave.

For prices and to register, call Ann Finch (Director)
at 503-981-5479 or 503-951-3875

Monday 4:00pm Beg 6-10 JAZZ
5:00pm 2nd yr 6-10 JAZZ
6:00pm Jr Intermediate JAZZ
7:00pm Beg 9-12 TAP

Tuesday

4:00pm Beg GYMNASTICS

Will learn forward & backward roll, handstand, cartwheel, bridges, bridge kick-over, back walk-over, front walk-over.

5:00pm Int/Adv GYMNASTICS

Must have a minimum of cartwheel, strong bridge w/ kick-over, handstand, front & back walk-over need to be very close.

6:00pm Lyrical JAZZ
7:00pm Beg 11 & up JAZZ

4:00pm Beg 4-5 TAP
5:00pm Beg 6-8 TAP
6:00pm Adult TAP

Wednesday 4:00pm 2nd yr 6-8 TAP
5:00pm Jr Adv JAZZ
6:00pm Jr Adv TAP

Thursday 4:00pm Boys' JAZZ / HIP-HOP
5:00pm Jr Int/Adv TAP
6:00pm PRODUCTION

Saturday 9:00am Beg 4-5 BALLET
10:00am Beg 6-10 BALLET
11:00am Jr Int BALLET
9:00am 2-3 yr old TUMBLING
10:00am 4-5 yr old TUMBLING

ARTS & CULTURE PROGRAMS

Social Ballroom Dancing

Taught by: Jason Olson. Do you want to be able to dance at the next wedding or company function? Now is the time to get ready for the holidays. Lead and follow emphasized with fun styling and techniques. Includes easy dance steps to all kinds of music. In this class you will learn the basics of Night Club Two Step, Waltz, and Swing.

\$65 per participant or \$120 per couple

Length of class: 8 weeks – September 29 – November 17;

Monday nights 7:30 – 8:30pm

Singles and Couples welcome

Minimum number of students: 8

Location: Nellie Muir Elementary

Latin Dancing

Taught by: Jason Olson. Learn the basics of Cha Cha, Rumba, and Merengue in this upbeat, exciting class. Lead and follow emphasized with fun styling and techniques. We will explore Latin motion as well as proper frame and connection for these dances. This is great exercise, too!

\$65 per participant or \$120 per couple

Length of class: 8 weeks – October 3 – November 21;

Friday nights 7:30 – 8:30pm

Singles and Couples welcome

Minimum number of students: 8

Location: Nellie Muir Elementary



ARTS & CULTURE PROGRAMS

continued

Smooth Dancing

Taught by: Jason Olson. Learn to dance like Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers in this smooth dance format. We will learn the basics of Waltz, Foxtrot, and Tango. Lead and follow emphasized as well as proper frame and connection. Learn to glide across the floor with grace and elegance. Don't worry if you have two left feet. If you can walk, you can dance.

\$65 per participant or \$120 per couple

Length of class: 8 weeks – October 1 – November 19;
Wednesday nights 7:30 – 8:30pm

Singles and Couples welcome

Minimum number of students: 8

Location: Nellie Muir Elementary

About Dance instructor Jason Olson:

Jason began dancing in Middle School through the local Parks and Rec. in Corvallis. In 2004 he returned to Ballroom Dancing through the Oregon Ballroom Dance Club at the University of Oregon and by November of 2004 he was taking two and three private dance lessons a week. In March of 2005 Jason enrolled in a branch of the Ballroom Dance Teachers College based in San Francisco. He has studied with several United States Champions and continues his training and teaching at Renaissance Ballroom Dance Studios in Oregon City, Oregon.



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COMMUNITY EVENTS

El Grito De Independencia / Mexican Independence Day

Experience the music, food and festivities of the Mexican Independence. For more information call Javier at 503-980-2485. Saturday & Sunday, September 13 & 14, Noon – 8:00pm – Downtown Plaza

Downtown Trick or Treating

Happy Halloween! Each downtown business will have candy, candy and more candy for the kids. So kids, dress up in your best Halloween costume and bring your parents to downtown Woodburn on Halloween. There will also be plenty of games and contests at the Plaza courtesy of the City's Community Services Dept. Friday, October 31, 3:00 – 5:00pm

Mayor's Tree Lighting

The whole family is welcome to this traditional holiday event. First, join us at the Settlemier House at 5:30pm for the tree lighting. Then parade downtown to the Plaza by candlelight and experience some traditional caroling, hot chocolate and an appearance by Santa himself. Downtown Plaza tree lighting to follow at about 6:30pm Sunday, December 7.



PARK RESERVATIONS

The Woodburn Community Services Department has several areas available for your use on a reservation basis. Listed below you will find which facilities are offered and their cost. It is our hope that you will enjoy your community parks.

All reservations must be made 10 days in advance.

Legion Park Shelter \$35.00

Burlingham Park Shelter \$25.00

Settlemier Park Shelter \$35.00

Downtown Plaza

(managed under the City's Special Event Policy)

Fee does not include the use of sports field(s).

DOGS IN PARKS

Dogs are welcome in Woodburn City's parks. However, to ensure that all users have a safe and enjoyable experience, please follow city park rules and be sure your pet is leashed and under the owner's control at all times. And, of course, please clean up after your dog. Dogi Pot bags are in every Woodburn City Park.

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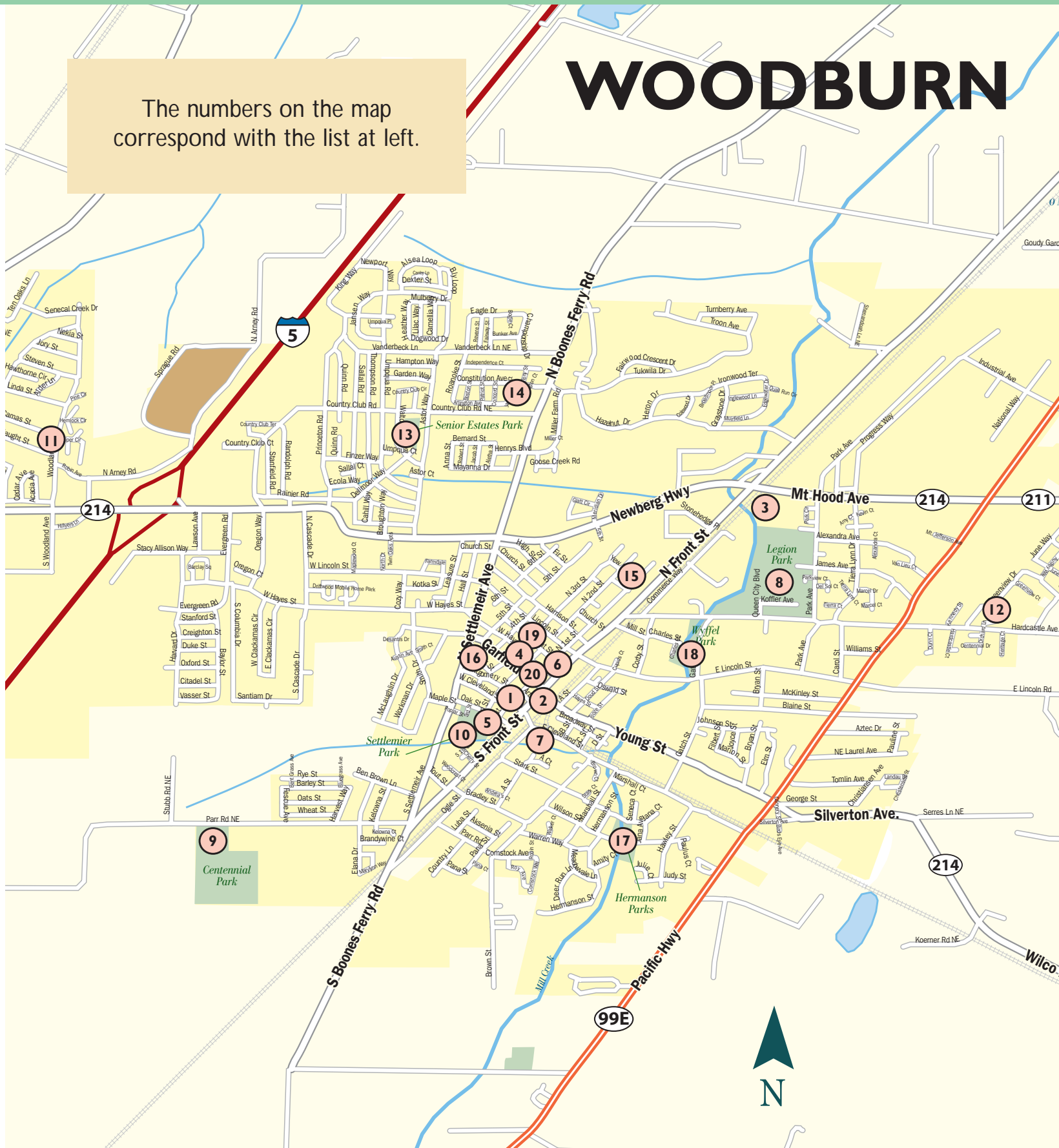
1. City Hall • 270 Montgomery St.
 - City Administration
 - Community Services
 - Community Development
 - Building Division
2. Public Works, Transit / Dial-a-Ride
190 Garfield St.
3. Woodburn Police • 1060 Mt. Hood Ave.
4. Woodburn Public Library
280 Garfield St.
5. Woodburn Aquatic Center
190 Oak St.
6. World's Berry Museum
455 N. Front St.
7. Historic Locomotive

WOODBURN PARKS

8. Legion Park • 1385 Park Ave.
9. Centennial Park • 900 Parr Rd.
10. Settlemier Park • 400 Settlemier Park
11. Burlingham Park • 3350 Linda St.
12. Nelson Park • Greenview Drive
13. Senior Estates • Astor & Walton
14. Heritage Park • 2588 Jamestown St.
15. North Front Street Park • N. Front St.
16. Alvah Cowan Park • 620 Garfield St.
17. Hermanson Parks • Marshall & Wilson
18. Wyffle Park • Lincoln St.
19. Library Park • 280 Garfield St.
20. Downtown Plaza • Garfield & Hayes

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The numbers on the map correspond with the list at left.





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